

B2 tooth 12.

Rewrite the paragraph which begins at page 7, line 8, as follows:

B3 In operation, each tooth 12 will be worn on its outer surfaces, thereby reducing the overall dimension, i.e. the distance between the flank outer surfaces.

Rewrite the paragraph which begins at page 7, line 12, as follows:

B4 In order to hold this distance constant, the locking screws 6 are released, to allow the second gear wheel portion 3 to turn with respect to the first gear wheel portion 2, about the rotary axis of the gear wheel, thereby moving away the facing flank surfaces 10 and 11 of the half-teeth 4 and 5 to recover the desired distance.

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